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- On 14 April the Pearl River Special Commissioner's Office convened a meeting of representatives of the Military Control Commissions of the eight districts of Huahsien, Nanhai, Panyu, Tungkuan, Shunte, Chungshan, Sanshui, and Paoan.
- A combined labor and relief project resulted from the meeting, whereby the labor of famine sufferers was to be used to build roads in the area and to open mines in Chungshan
- Local rich farmers are to be responsible for feeding the famine sufferers recruited for this work, and the output of the wolfram mines of the seventh and eighth districts will be purchased by the local office of the Sino-Soviet Friendship Association. 25X1C

Comment. s there are wolfram deposits in Chungshan and Paoan, tin deposits in Chungshan, and coal deposits in Huahsien and Pranyu.

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